Part 3: Model Answer - Robots - Question 1

Do you think that all of today's jobs could be done by robots?
No, I don't think so. I'm no expert, but I'd say there are a lot of jobs that robots still can't do as well as humans. I can't imagine that a robot would be able to do jobs that require a lot of emotional intelligence or empathy. For example, a robot wouldn't be able to look after a child at nursery or become someone's long-term therapist. Maybe AI will change things, but as far as I know, there are still certain jobs that robots can't do as well as humans.

Useful vocabulary

I'm no expert
I don't have specialized knowledge or skill in this area.
*"**I'm no expert**, but I'd say there are a lot of jobs that robots still can't do as well as humans."*

Emotional intelligence
The ability to understand and manage your own feelings and recognize and influence others' feelings.
*"I can't imagine that a robot would be able to do jobs that require a lot of **emotional intelligence** or empathy."*

Empathy
The ability to understand and share the feelings of another person.
*"I can't imagine that a robot would be able to do jobs that require a lot of emotional intelligence or **empathy**."*

Look after (someone)
To take care of someone and make sure they are safe and well.
*"For example, a robot wouldn't be able to **look after** a child at nursery or become someone's long-term therapist."*

Therapist
A professional who helps people deal with mental, emotional, or psychological issues through conversation and other techniques.
*"For example, a robot wouldn't be able to look after a child at nursery or become someone's long-term **therapist**."*

As far as I know
To the best of my knowledge; based on what I know.
*"Maybe AI will change things, but **as far as I know**, there are still certain jobs that robots can't do as well as humans."*

Write your answer

Do you think that all of today's jobs could be done by robots?

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